UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

United States of America

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Criminal No. 05-221-01-B

Thomas Newton

ORDER

The defendant has moved to continue the October 3, 2006 trial in the above case. Defendant cites the need for additional time to complete a negotiated disposition in this matter. The government

Accordingly, in order to allow the parties additional time to complete a negotiated disposition in this matter, the court will continue the trial from October 3, 2006 to November 7, 2006.

In agreeing to continue the trial, the court finds pursuant to 18 U.S.C.A. § 3161(h)(8)(A) that for the above-stated reasons, the ends of justice served in granting a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

The September 27, 2006 final pretrial conference is continued until October 20, 2006 at 9:30 am for the purpose of a plea hearing.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Paul Barbadoro Paul Barbadoro Chief Judge

September 26, 2006

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United States Probation
United States Marshal